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## NEWS ITEMS

### FROM JARROW

The weather man did not favor us with the best of weather on June 3rd but despite this fact a large crowd of people attended the sports held at Jarrow on that date.

The older people met and enjoyed reminiscences, some of whom had not missed the sports day for the past 20 years. The young people enjoyed themselves as they watched and cheered the ball players. We must acknowledge that the players did good work and their sportsmanship was appreciated.

The races under the management of Harry Symonds attracted the crowd.

The results of the ball games were as follows:  
Bridle Lake vs. Jarrow, 3-2, in favor of Bridle Lake; Irma vs. Bridle Lake, 11-8, in favor of Irma.

Softball-Jarrow school vs. Batt school, 18-9, in favor of Jarrow; Irma girls team vs. Viking high school girls, final game in favor of Irma. 100 yd. dash—Harold Lissan 1st, B. Landers 2nd; Hop, step and jump, H. Lissan and B. Hendison; Broad jump—H. Lissan and R. Marby; High jump—C. Jackson and S. Morrison; Throwing the shot—C. Arkinstall and P. Lindquist.

Boys' races—16 yr., C. Luckins and A. Carter; 12 years, N. McMullan and S. Meakin; 9 years, B. Manger and O. E. Lovig.

Girls' races—Francis Stronack and Virney Murry; 16 years, Viola Williams and T. Greenwood; 12 years, Jeanon Theran and Doras Wachter. The Board of Trade and the ladies' aid booths were well patronized. A large crowd attended the dance in the evening. The Lindquist orchestra furnished the music. Mrs. Fred Coe served the mid-night lunch.

The Jarrow dramatic plays will present their play, "The Path Across the Hill" in the community hall on June 15th. We have reason to be proud of the fine work that has been done by these players. Do not miss this last opportunity to hear them. Admission 25c; children under 12 15c.

Mrs. Robert Northie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Matthews, and little daughter are leaving this week for their home north-west of Edmonton.

Mr. Pete McNabb is teaching in Lake Vernon school for two weeks, whilst Mr. Overbow is in Edmonton taking treatment for his eyes.

Miss Jean Matthews returned home recently from Minburn, where she has been working for the past few months.

Mr. E. J. Kelly has had a severe attack of the flu. He is improving but is still far from being well.

Mr. and Mrs. John Waite attended the sports at Holden on Wednesday.

Harold Lissan has returned from Camrose, having completed his normal training. Harold has obtained a first class certificate.

Raymond Lissan, who is convalescent, is visiting his aunt in Edmonton.

## ALBERTA VOTE

### DURING JULY

The Alberta general election will be held during the week commencing July 15, it was learned on reliable authority on Saturday.

Several days in this week have been suggested. There is a strong likelihood that Wednesday, July 17, will be finally named, with the next most likely choice being Friday, July 19th.

## Setting A Standard

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## United Church Notes

The services next Sunday, June 9, will be at Albert, Alma Mater and town, at the usual hours. The sermon topic will be "The Highlights of the Alberta Conference."

On the following Sunday, June 16, the country services will be at Paschenchale and Roseberry. The Roseberry friends will note that the services will be continued until further notice.

The repetition of the cantata "The Thorn-crowned King" by the junior choir in the United church last Sunday drew a very large congregation. It was so well rendered that there were many appreciative remarks made to the pastor. The junior choir has rendered splendid service, not only in the giving of this special music, but also in leading the praise throughout the year and the members together with the leader are to be congratulated on the high quality of music they have given week by week.

It will be of interest to many to know that the pastor, the Rev. Mr. J. R. Geeson, has again been elected secretary of the Alberta Conference. The conference, therefore, has been a very busy time for him, but he reports that this conference ranks among the very best he has ever attended. The business was conducted with dispatch and the inspirational addresses were extremely fine. The spirit of fellowship was very much in evidence and there was a splendid attendance at all the sessions.

## World Wheat Conference Sitings

(Wheat Pool Budget)

The International Wheat Agreement, frustrated in its operations within six months of its having been signed because of Argentina's default, will continue in existence for another year at least but with only a distant hope of being effective. All teeth were removed from the pact, however, and the Wheat Advisory Commission continues in existence merely to provide "a point of contact for the governments if, as, and when world conditions deteriorate."

The Advisory Commission concluded spring sittings on May 23rd. These sittings were opened with the report by Andrew Cairns, secretary, which suggested that a new crisis in wheat production was inevitable "unless an act of God intervened or new export restrictions were adopted." It was suggested that this crisis would be more serious than that of 1933.

Even in the face of this report Argentina stubbornly refused any and all suggestions for the limiting of her wheat exports. She has exceeded her allotted quota for 1934-35 which was 148 million bushels. Canada has not come near her allotment for the same year. It is suggested that Argentina demanded 30% of the world trade.

The agreement automatically expires August 1st this year but under the new arrangement the organization will be maintained until August 1st, 1936.

Salient features of Cairns' summary of present conditions and prospects were:

1. The world glut of stocks on August 1, despite the 1934 drought, will be about 800,000,000 bushels, compared with the 1922-28 average of 625,000,000 bushels.
2. European countries have slightly increased their acreage, their crop prospects are above normal, and their tendency to self-sufficiency has greatly restricted the markets for the big exporters, Canada, United States, Australia and Argentina.
3. While United States exports next year should be comparatively

small, prospects for future years are likely to increase the world's market problem.

4. Argentina and Australia are likely to have their carry-overs down to normal on August 1, but this favorable condition may be offset partially by slight increases in Argentina, whose acreage was reduced by only about 6 per cent in 1934.

5. Canada, which reduced acreage nearly 10 per cent last year, is expected to reduce another 3 per cent this year, and her carry-over is estimated at 163,000,000 bushels on August 1.

6. Russia may have a slight increase in acreage, but is not expected to take a leading position as an exporter again for many years.

7. The average price of wheat parcels imported into England during May has been 46 gold cents a bushel, as compared with the goal of 63 cents average for 16 weeks contemplated in the 1933 agreement as the basis for tariff reductions.

## A Wrong Impression Is Corrected

(Canadian Grocer)

After listening to the evidence presented last year before the Price Spreads Commission by officials of some of the retail organizations to the effect that the independent merchant was passing out of the picture, it is refreshing to read the following statements in the official report recently presented to Parliament:

"It (the evidence) is far from showing, however, that independents are in danger of being eliminated."

"Independents have strengthened their competitive position."

"The price gap between chains and independents is becoming narrower."

"Various reasons may be given for the improving price position of the independents. Probably the most important is their improved and more efficient methods of operation."

The chief criticism of the evidence given by those who saw the individual retailer passing out of the distribution picture is that it did not differentiate between the progressive and non-progressive type. True, there is a substantial percentage of retailers and particularly in the grocery field that is gradually disappearing.

But this has always been the case—the inefficient have had to make way for those who studied their business and who knew what it was all about. And so during the time of the development of the chain store, the aggressive merchant, by making new connections, improving his store and studying more thoroughly the correct methods of operation, has held his own and will continue to do so.

Last week we attended a dinner at which was present a group of a hundred retailers who had good business last year.

This bears out the contention Canadian Grocer has been making right along that it is not legislation that makes or breaks a merchant, but the business methods he adopts. The above extracts from the official report are not surprising to us but will be to some, and to none more perhaps than the officials of some of the retail organizations who went to Ottawa last year and almost in tears told how the independent merchant could not survive under today's competitive conditions. By this kind of talk in the last few years they have actually been telling manufacturers to forget the individual dealer and to concentrate on the chains.

## BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Matheson at Hardisty hospital, May 27, a son. To Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Currie, at Manville hospital, May 20, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. Schlender, at Manville hospital, May 22, a son.

## Municipal District of Kinsella, No. 424

### NOTICE

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Gopher poison may be purchased by resident ratepayers from the Commissioner in the division in which he resides, the following brands:

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B. H. GREEN, Sec.-Treas.

17-24-1.

## NOTES OF INTEREST OF BUSY KINSELLA

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Bench of Sedgewick were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. C. F. Arkenstall.

The set of dishes given away by the Red & White store on Saturday, May 4th, was won by Miss Maxine Wachter.

Miss Edith Watson has returned home from Camrose, where she has just finished Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Arkenstall and children and Miss Belle Arkenstall of Edmonton, spent Sunday with C. F. Arkenstall and family.

Miss Georgie Lee returned home Friday from Camrose, where she has been attending Normal.

All the young folk around town attended the dance in Irma on Friday night, sponsored by the Kinsella tennis club.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wangness were called to Coal Lake on Saturday by the illness of a sister-in-law, Mrs. John Wangness.

Rev. Griffith gave a very interesting report on the conference on Sunday, and the junior choir gave a special number.

## Here and There

Two or three times as much rainfall this year between April 1 and May 8 on the Prairies as compared with the same period last year makes the outlook for the 1935 harvest similar to that at the same time of year in 1932 when the largest crop since 1928 was recorded. The Hon. J. A. McArthur, general agricultural agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway in the West.

Leonard J. Pohlmann, traveling passenger agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, with headquarters at New York, was recently elected vice-president of the American Association of Traveling Passenger Agents of New York. Mr. Pohlmann has been a member of the association's executive committee for the past year.

Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina, distinguished itself recently by staging a Chinese Mandarin dinner dance, said to be the first of its kind on this continent. As stage decoration there was used a hundred-foot runner and side drapes. The orchestra was Chinese many decades ago, and insured while in use at a valuation of \$5,000. The orchestra was in Chinese dress and provided music with a decidedly Eastern background.

T. J. Jackson, who has just been appointed first assistant manager of the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, in succession to Cyril Chapman, promoted to the post of manager of the Seignior Club of Quebec, started as cashier at the Chateau Frontenac in 1924, and has had rapid advancement to his present high position.

To Charles Montgomery, one-time switch-tender and at present elevator operator at the Canadian Pacific uptown office building in Winnipeg, go all honors for having constructed what is probably the most perfectly finished model of a locomotive on the continent. It is a five-foot replica of a Canadian Pacific class "2300", finished in brass and copper, and took five years to construct.

Out of active service for some years past, Canadian Pacific liner Melita has been sold to Italian shipbreakers. She was built in Glasgow in 1918.

"Never betray a trust; be honest; do what other men can do; and work your eight hours a day," is the recipe for success enunciated by Caleb R. Smith, international chairman of the Million-Dollar Round Table, speaking to the Life Underwriters in convention at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, recently.

James G. Millar, Medicine Hat, veteran Canadian Pacific engineer, recently celebrated his 82nd birthday, when railway acquaintances and relatives gathered to congratulate him. He was born in Drummondville, Que., and has been drawing a railroad cheque for more than 64 years.

A couple of score of fine old railroaders who five decades ago helped push the steel around the north shore of Lake Superior for the Canadian Pacific Railway, gathered near Jackfish, Ont., recently to re-enact the driving of the last spike at Nono on May 16, 1885. Alex. Anderson, Port Arthur, who held the spike when it was driven fifty years ago, drove home a new steel spike with a vigor that belied his 81 years.

## Viking Items

The new concrete tennis court is progressing rapidly under the expert hand of Ole Ohman. Covering a space of 36x90 feet, the amount of materials required to produce the three inches of permanent stone is astonishing. Altogether over 60 tons of sand, gravel, cement and water goes through the power mixer and is then conveyed by barrow. The foundation of the court was laid out with absolute precision by engineer Don Collier handling the surveyor's instruments. The ground was then made level and a carload of cinders spread and packed with a heavy roller. This foundation has been found to be ideal, the court built in 1929 being perfectly smooth today. A month ago there were two or three places where the six-foot blocks of concrete had raised from a quarter to a half inch. With the departure of frost the surface is now like a billiard table. The new court will be coated with green stucco, providing a pleasing color to the eye and suitable contrast to the balls. No town in Western Canada can show such perfect tennis courts as Viking will now have. It will be a pleasure to invite other towns to visit us and compete on these ideal courts.

Baseball players and fans gathered in the town hall last Friday and an enthusiastic meeting was held. It was decided to put a team in the field and Evan Jones, veteran player, who is still very much in the game, was elected manager. Several new recruits have moved into the district and it is hoped that a fairly strong team will be developed. The team takes part in the Holden sports today (Wednesday). It is intended to have a series of scheduled games on the local grounds throughout the summer months.

The Edmonton Grads had quite a number of supporters at the final game at the arena, last Saturday evening. Quite a few from town and district were there among the thousands to cheer them on. It was conceded to be the most thrilling game played in the big arena.

Social Credit picnic and mass meeting at Lake Thomas Beach on Wednesday, June 12th. Speakers and prospective candidates will make addresses. The beach is 2 miles north of the Fred Hanson farm on the west side of the lake.

Some interesting statistics of Viking and district were divulged to our inquiring reporter by Kenneth Hillier this morning. He was just in the act of checking up on the number of births, deaths and marriages recorded here since 1908, and they are as follows: Births, 1678; deaths, 425; marriages, 283.

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## MARRIAGES

HYLNKA — KUZYK

On Saturday, June 1st, the wedding of Miss Jennie Kuzyk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Kuzyk of the Vegreville district, and Mr. Steve Hlynka of Irma, took place in Vegreville.

After the ceremony the wedding party motored to the home of the bride's parents, where dinner was served to a large number of guests. This popular couple received a great many useful gifts from relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Hlynka will make their home in Irma.

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## Leaders And Critics

In the face of enormous difficulties, which are the direct outcome of the Great War and the aftermath of depression following that terrible struggle, as more or less similar conditions have followed every great war in history, recognized leaders of men, in all nations are striving mightily to bring order out of disorder and start the world on the road of progress and prosperity. Men are breaking down because of the burdens of responsibility they are carrying, and they are wearing themselves out mentally and physically in the effort to serve their fellow countrymen and the world.

In his almost superhuman struggle to maintain peace in Europe, and in his untiring efforts to promote disarmament, Ramsay MacDonald has become a much older man than his years. Reports that he must relinquish the premiership are now rife.

In Canada, Hon. R. B. Bennett has for five years devoted his every waking moment to the duties and responsibilities of government. People may criticize his policies and his methods, they may say he should have divided responsibility to a far greater extent with his cabinet colleagues instead of shouldering so much of the burden himself. But no one can say that as Prime Minister he has not given himself wholeheartedly and energetically to the discharge of the public duties and responsibilities placed in his care. As a result he has had a serious breakdown in health, may have to retire, and he has unquestionably considerably shortened his life.

Ex-President Hoover and President Roosevelt aged far beyond their years in office; the same can be said of the leaders of other nations, and it is true of men not only in the Federal arena in Canada but in the provinces and in municipal affairs. The strain is terrific, and men everywhere are paying the price. Yet they carry on because it is their duty to do so, and because they are sincerely desirous of rendering service to their country and fellowmen.

Probably because the great mass of people have difficulties and worries of their own to contend against and face, few of them give thought and little consideration to the manifold and gigantic problems which leaders in government everywhere are endeavoring to solve. Rather, men in public life are the targets for all kinds of missiles of abuse and criticism, and their task is made much more difficult by the carping complaints of men of less calibre and by demagogues and agitators who take advantage of the prevailing situation to stir up the unthinking masses for their own selfish and ulterior motives and designs.

Recently in a little known publication there appeared one of the type of articles which make a sane man disgusted. The writer thereof urged people to read history. He declared that in every great crisis heretofore and everywhere, a man had arisen to lead the way out, and he cited that "Moses, Christ, Pym, Abraham Lincoln, were real leaders because they did new things, utterly regardless of what had been done before." He then added that at Ottawa two Neros, meaning Mr. Bennett and Mr. King, are fiddling while the economic capital burns. Surely, he says, after five years of labor Canada should at last bring forth a man.

This writer cites Moses. He was a great leader, but his people turned against him, commended the worship of false idols, a calf of gold, and paid the penalty of forty years wandering in the wilderness.

The writer speaks of the Christ. He was the world's greatest leader of all time. Yet the people of his day rejected him and demanded his death.

Abraham Lincoln was a leader, but throughout his life was criticized and vilified, accused of being a partizan, and died at the hands of an assassin.

History applauds these leaders, and their names will live forever, but in their day and generation they were despised and rejected by many, the objects of criticism and derision, and their work for humanity made difficult by the spite and hatred of other so-called leaders who played upon the ignorance, the emotions and the selfishness of the masses.

The historian of the future will probably accord to the world leaders of to-day a much more honorable place, and give credit where it is due, than the petting critics of today are willing or capable of according to them. The names and deeds of these leaders will be recalled long after those of their present day critics have passed into oblivion and from the memories of man.

These leaders have made mistakes. Of course they have, because they are human with all the limitations and frailties of human beings. But many of their mistakes were not of their own volition, but were forced upon them by the acts of others, either not so sincere and high minded or who with less vision and ability adopted policies and followed courses of action which compelled others to steps which the latter knew to be mistaken but nevertheless had to be taken to avoid some possibly greater mistake and disaster.

The present is a time for patience and tolerance. It is no time for any well meaning person to be rocking the ship. That should be left to the wholly misguided and the irresponsible agitators. Constructive criticism is in order, and it is always welcomed by those entrusted with grave responsibilities. But Canada should give short shift to all carping critics who merely seek to destroy what others are striving to reconstruct and build up stronger and better.

For the 13 weeks of 1935 ended May 2, the total number of hogs graded in Canada was—graded alive at stock yards, 383,664; alive at packing plants, 709,726, and by carcass 21,652, a total of 1,115,042. For the corresponding weeks of 1934, the number was 1,160,223.

In the Aurignacian period of the Old Stone Age, 60,000 years ago, men in Europe were very tall, averaging just over six feet in height.



When roughly handled, loads play dead so thoroughly that their breathing movements are entirely suspended.

Approximately 90,000 newspapers and magazines are published in the world to-day, as compared to 4,000 a century ago. 2100

## A Silver Jubilee Gift

Merchants Serving Royal Family Build House For King

King George, who already owns a palace, a castle and two huge estates, has received a house as a Silver Jubilee present. It is a gift of the Royal Warrant Holders' Association, whose members have served the royal household with groceries, furniture and everything else, and who are entitled to display the royal coat of arms over their stores.

The architect is C. Beresford Marshall, a young and comparatively unknown designer of thirty-six years, who up to now has been designing luxury apartments on the American plan for London.

Marshall's design is something like the American Colonial style without the pillars. It is being built at Burrell, Surrey, about thirty miles from London, on the estate of Lord Iveagh.

There is one principal bedroom and two guest rooms, with two double rooms for maids and a chauffeur's room.

The design was chosen by the King in consultation with Sir Giles Gilbert Scott, president of the Royal Institute of British Architects.

It is not likely, however, that the King will live in the house. In such cases he usually makes a present of the life-tenancy of the house to some minor member of the royal family, or to a high court official who is retiring from his service.

## HE FELT MISERABLE AFTER MEALS

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The treatment which put this man right must surely be worth trying in every case of indigestion. Read what he says:—

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## Saskatchewan Drama League

W. T. Read Elected President At Annual Meeting

W. T. Read, Regina theatre enthusiast, was unanimously elected president of the Saskatchewan Drama League for the coming season by members gathered in Saskatoon for the annual meeting. Mrs. Stanley Edwards, Saskatoon, was named first vice-president, and J. M. Sinclair, Regina, second vice-president. Mrs. Doris W. Hopkins and William Reid, both of Regina, were appointed secretary and treasurer respectively.

Mrs. E. R. Myers, Saskatoon, the retiring president, took her place on the advisory board of the league.

## Preventing Spread Of Disease

Passengers On English Air Lines Must Have Health Certificate

Air passengers in the future will be treated like beef being examined and stamped at the port of departure, according to Mr. M. Cadman, of Hull, England. In a conference in that city he declared that to prevent diseases being spread round the world by airplanes, passengers eventually would not be permitted to travel unless each carried a clean bill of health in documentary form.

## Fruit-a-tives Gave Veteran Quick Relief From Constipation

Isaac P. Booth, 70 Wayland Ave., Toronto, relates in a sworn statement how Fruit-a-tives gave him quick relief from constipation and rheumatism brought on by military service. So that everyone can be sure of the truth, he told his experience under oath before a notary. Mr. Booth says:—"I was greatly bothered with constipation brought on by military service. I tried Fruit-a-tives and they gave quick relief and now keep me regular. Since I have used Fruit-a-tives, it does not bother me any more unless I take foolish chances in wet or cold weather. Copy of Mr. Booth's complete sworn statement will be sent on request. Write Fruit-a-tives Limited, 404, 406, 408, 410, 412, 414, 416, 418, 420, 422, 424, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 438, 440, 442, 444, 446, 448, 450, 452, 454, 456, 458, 460, 462, 464, 466, 468, 470, 472, 474, 476, 478, 480, 482, 484, 486, 488, 490, 492, 494, 496, 498, 500, 502, 504, 506, 508, 510, 512, 514, 516, 518, 520, 522, 524, 526, 528, 530, 532, 534, 536, 538, 540, 542, 544, 546, 548, 550, 552, 554, 556, 558, 560, 562, 564, 566, 568, 570, 572, 574, 576, 578, 580, 582, 584, 586, 588, 590, 592, 594, 596, 598, 600, 602, 604, 606, 608, 610, 612, 614, 616, 618, 620, 622, 624, 626, 628, 630, 632, 634, 636, 638, 640, 642, 644, 646, 648, 650, 652, 654, 656, 658, 660, 662, 664, 666, 668, 670, 672, 674, 676, 678, 680, 682, 684, 686, 688, 690, 692, 694, 696, 698, 700, 702, 704, 706, 708, 710, 712, 714, 716, 718, 720, 722, 724, 726, 728, 730, 732, 734, 736, 738, 740, 742, 744, 746, 748, 750, 752, 754, 756, 758, 760, 762, 764, 766, 768, 770, 772, 774, 776, 778, 780, 782, 784, 786, 788, 790, 792, 794, 796, 798, 800, 802, 804, 806, 808, 810, 812, 814, 816, 818, 820, 822, 824, 826, 828, 830, 832, 834, 836, 838, 840, 842, 844, 846, 848, 850, 852, 854, 856, 858, 860, 862, 864, 866, 868, 870, 872, 874, 876, 878, 880, 882, 884, 886, 888, 890, 892, 894, 896, 898, 900, 902, 904, 906, 908, 910, 912, 914, 916, 918, 920, 922, 924, 926, 928, 930, 932, 934, 936, 938, 940, 942, 944, 946, 948, 950, 952, 954, 956, 958, 960, 962, 964, 966, 968, 970, 972, 974, 976, 978, 980, 982, 984, 986, 988, 990, 992, 994, 996, 998, 1000.

## Scheme To Bring Rain

Frenchman Requires \$10,000,000 To Go Ahead With Idea

Men are still seeking artificial rains and Mr. Bernard J. Dubos, of the Meteorological Society of France, is the latest to have a scheme. He would build a steel and concrete funnel 2,000 feet high. Through this he would force water vapor into the upper air with the thought that it would return in copious rains over a large area.

The funnel would be constructed so that it would be tapered with the broad end at the top and the whole supported by struts and pillars. It would be about 450 feet in diameter at the top and resemble a large telescope standing on the smaller end.

The underlying idea is to have a series of wind vanes at the top which will catch whatever breeze there may be and start a whirl of air inside the spout to create a vacuum. This would give a vacuum core on the principle that waterspouts have vacuum cores.

There is one detail curbing Mr. Dubos from building his core at once. He requires \$10,000,000 to go ahead with the construction. It will take that much to buy materials and build the spout. And he is finding it hard to get anyone to gamble the \$10,000,000 on the chance that the thing might work and produce rain. It would take a lot of bushels of wheat, for instance, to pay the interest and principal on that much money.

Perhaps Mr. Dubos will not get anyone to take him up on his venture. But that will not curb other scientists and inventors trying to find some way to get rain from the clouds. And, some day, one of them is quite likely to solve the secret, even though people may laugh at his efforts while he is experimenting.

## Handicraft Exhibition

Public Rooms Of Cunard White Star Liner Ascania To Be Used

The Hon. William Joseph Parnell McMillan, M.D., C.M., F.A.C.S., L.M.C.C., Prime Minister, Provincial Treasurer and Minister of Education of Prince Edward Island will open the Canadian Handicrafts Guild special exhibition being held on board the Cunard White Star liner Ascania. It was announced by Colonel Wilfred A. Bovey, president of the Guild.

Dr. McMillan is also president of the Prince Edward Island branch of the Guild, and is visiting Montreal at this time to receive an honour from McGill University.

The show will be held in the public rooms of the steamer while the Ascania is in port lying alongside Shed No. 2 on her next trip to Montreal.

A wide range of hand-made crafts will be exhibited, ranging from the most delicate textiles to wrought iron pieces. From Montreal will be a group of copies of old Canadian furniture and lamps which have been effectively used locally. There will be two examples of old Canadian country chairs, one with leather thong seat and the other with twisted bark seat.

## The Four-Dollar Bill

Reason They Are Rarely Seen Is Not Generally Known

An article in the Port Arthur News-Chronicle says: "In a Cumberland street shop window a Canadian four-dollar bill has been on exhibition as a rarity. Most people know that the four-dollar bill is a rarity because so seldom seen in circulation but the reason is not so well known. When the first issue was made something over 30 years ago it was found carrying a picture of the Michigan Soo locks. Someone at Ottawa had got hold of the wrong picture, evidently intending to put the picture of the Canadian Soo locks, then comparatively new, on the currency. As soon as the bills began circulation the error was noticed and called to Ottawa's attention, particularly by residents of the Canadian Soo. Naturally, the issue with that particular picture was not continued. Hence the rarity."

## Commonest Names In China

In Canada the Smiths and the Joneses take good prizes for telephone directory listings. In China it's the Chens and the Wongs. In the Shanghai directory there are 638 Chens. The Wongs are pretty close with 574. Other popular Chinese names are Woo and Koo and Ding and Dong. Also to be found are the Ahs and Oos.

A woman writer advises women to "treat your maid with the same respect as you treat your husband." Especially if you like hunting for new maids.



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## Collection Is Valuable

Japan Afraid Ancient Clocks May Soon Be Sold

Fears that the famous "Daimyo no Tokai" collection of timepieces, once owned by leading Daimyo together with old books on the subject of clocks, will soon be lost to Japan, is being expressed by Japanese newspapers. The clocks have been known as the Takayashi collection, and have been kept at the Tokyo Museum of Science for many years. They were recently offered for sale, and an American collector offered \$15,000 for them, a bid which was increased by a British resident in Kobe. It is not believed that the collection has actually been sold, but it is feared that if the intention to sell becomes widely known collectors in Europe and America will offer such a price that the owner will part with them.

## Serfdom Abolished

By New Decree Ethiopia Advanced In Civilization By 1,000 Years

Emperor Haile Selassie issued a decree abolishing serfdom throughout Ethiopia and equalizing the system of land taxation.

An announcement said the masses acclaimed the step and added that the abolition of unequal land taxation would advance Ethiopia 1,000 years in civilization.

Ethiopia for centuries was one of the most profitable centres of the African slave trade and while other countries gradually abolished the traffic, the institution remained in that country even after its admission to the League of Nations. In recent years slavery there has taken the form of forced labor and "debt peonage."

## Scouts From Many Lands

Five Thousand Expected To Visit Poland This Summer

Five thousand Boy Scouts from many parts of the world will gather at Apala, Poland, this summer to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Boy Scout movement in Poland. The United States, Great Britain, France, Belgium, Holland and Scandinavian and Slavonic countries will be represented. General Baden-Powell, the founder of all Scout movements, will be represented by his deputy.

## Open Golf Tournament

International Event To Be Held At Fonthill, Ont.

"We are leaving no stone unturned," stated President Allan Brooks, K.C., of the Fonthill Golf Club, "to make the course and clubhouse as nearly perfect as possible for the holding of the General Brock Hotel Open Golf Tournament at Fonthill, Ont., on July 11, 12 and 13. We recognize that this event is attracting international attention and that in all probability the entry list will be one of the largest ever seen in an event of this kind in America. The committee in charge of the tournament are just as enthusiastic as I am and have wholeheartedly endorsed the changes and improvements which will be necessary and particularly those suggested by B. L. Anderson, tournament manager, after his recent inspection of the course."

Among the changes to the course will be the lengthening of all tees so that each day will demand a slightly different shot depending on whether the markers are on the front, centre or back of the tees. All greens are to be apioned extending some thirty or forty feet in front of them and there will be a six-foot closely clipped fringe around all putting surfaces. All bunkers are to be renovated and filled with new sand and each one of them will be furnished for the championship. As a precaution against accidents the bridge leading to the 18th green is to be reinforced because of the large number of spectators anticipated, and furthermore, several of the important greens will be roped off, particularly the 9th and 18th. An attractive new entrance gate is to be constructed and elaborate preparations for catering are being made under the personal direction of Vernon G. Cardy, president of the General Brock Hotel.

## Western Student Wins Honors

Pass lists for the first, second and third years of the faculty of dentistry, McGill University, were announced at the office of the dean, Nathan Frank Gropper, Saskatoon, won the prize for the highest standing in the third year as well as the lieutenant-governor's medal for the highest percentage in dental pathology and dental therapeutics.

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## MISS ALADDIN

—By—  
Christine Whitting ParmenterAuthor of  
"One Wide River To Cross"  
"The Unknown Port," Etc.

CHAPTER II.—Continued

"Well, hardly," agreed Dad. "Is that all, Louise?"

"Very nearly. She says: 'Let me know what time Nancy will arrive at Colorado Springs, and I will send some trustworthy person to meet her with an automobile, as Pine Ridge is on a branch road and our only train leaves early in the morning. If no one greets her on arrival, instruct her, please, to sit quietly in the station until called for.'"

A girlish chuckle escaped Aunt Judy.

"You can check yourself in the parcel room, Nance! Proceed, Louise. I beg pardon for interrupting."

Jack winked at one aunt as the other retorted: "You're as bad as the children, Judith. But there's not much more. She says: 'I feel sure that this experience will improve your daughter.' How's that, James?"

Said Dad, with spirit: "Why on earth should she imagine that our Nancy needs improvement?"

"And how would she get it in a little one-horse western town?" asked Mother.

"This way," smiled Aunt Louise, reverting to the missive: "She would get away from the narrow New England viewpoint. She would learn something about the vastness of her country."

"I suppose she means those 'great open spaces' we read about," laughed Jack, while his aunt, ignoring him, continued:

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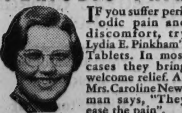
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Lydia E. Pinkham's TABLETS

Nelson, who was a good bit older than the others, possessed the wanderlust. He yearned to see something besides his native New Hampshire, and as his young wife was tired with the same ambition, they started West in a covered wagon, drawn by oxen unless my memory's at fault."

"The spot," questioned the boy, leaning forward eagerly.

"Oh, no! There were three other wagons in the caravan, or whatever they called it. Part of those pioneers turned back somewhere in Kansas, frightened, I believe, by the immensity of the prairie. Others pushed on to California; but it was rumors of gold in the Colorado mountains that lured Uncle Jed in that direction, and unlooked-for circumstances which made him stop where he did. Of course it wasn't Pine Ridge then—just unsettled wilderness. But the journey had proved too hard on his wife, and instead of reaching some settlement, Denver or possibly Aurora (which was flourishing because of the gold rush) for the event, her baby was born in a covered wagon on the spot which was later to be called Pine Ridge."

"And that baby was Cousin Columbine?" asked Nancy.

Her aunt nodded, while Dad took up the narrative.

"Here's where her name comes in, daughter. Early next morning Uncle Jed discovered some enormous blue and white columbines growing nearby and carried the whole clump in to that new mother. The story goes that she uttered an exclamation of rapture at their beauty, and cried out: 'Columbines! I know now what we'll call our little daughter!'"

"Do you suppose," asked Jack, "if he'd presented the lady with a cactus blossom she'd have named her baby Cactaceous?"

"Goodness gracious, boy, have you no sentiment?" reproved Aunt Judy.

"And the fact that you've been studying botany cries aloud. Cactaceous! I never heard the word before."

"Nor I," admitted Mother. "But you mean to say, Jim, that a man who possessed the wanderlust was content to stay right where Fate landed him for the rest of his natural life?"

"Indeed no," spoke up Aunt Louise, "and in my opinion Uncle Jed's poor wife had a lonely time of it. He was forever leaving her to seek gold, silver, and adventure. That was, I imagine, after other settlers joined them. Years later he did strike silver at Leadville; but his wife had died of hardship before that. I believe she never saw the 'mansion' Cousin Columbine's so proud of."

"Uncle Jed was the big man of the town in Pine Ridge then, though the place can't be much more than a settlement now. Anyway, it isn't on the map."

"And she expects us to send Nancy to a place like that?" gasped Mother. "I didn't realize it was so isolated."

"But it's home to Cousin Columbine," observed Aunt Judy, "and perhaps she's lonely."

"I wonder if she'd be satisfied with me?" suggested Jack. "I have a touch of this wanderlust myself."

"You'd make a swell dressmaker," jeered his sister; and then, being called to the telephone by one of the admirers of whom Cousin Columbine would disapprove, promptly forgot the matter.

## CHAPTER III.

Now, meeting Jack's eager eyes as he perched on the foot of her antique four-poster, the memory of that family dinner all rushed back. Regardless of the cold air and a sleeveless pink crepe nightgown, Nance sat up, startled, and stared at her brother in dismay.

"Why, Jack Nelson! You—you're not implying that I ought to go away off to Colorado just for a paltry twenty-five dollars a month, are you?"

"Pipe down," warned Jack, "or like as not Mother'll come butting in, and I want to talk things over with you first. I can't sleep, Nance. I keep thinking about Dad. You know how he is—always seeing the bright side of everything; but he admitted to-night that he was down and out. That means flat broke, doesn't it?"

And even if I got some sort of job it probably wouldn't much more than pay my car fares and lunches for a year or two. And there's you—simply a parlor ornament—and—

"Thanks," broke in his sister coldly, sliding down under the quilt again. "You don't need to rub it in just now, do you?"

"I don't intend to rub in anything; but there's no need of side-stepping the truth, either. I suppose you could help Mother 'round the house some; but with Aunt Judy gone, and Aunt Lou home only Sundays, there won't be an awful lot to do. And I've a notion she'd rather keep busy anyway, so's not to think about things. I suppose she's just about heart-broken over you."

Nancy said nothing for a moment; then: "Do you think it will add to her happiness if I'm two thousand miles away, all alone, living with a queer old woman we've never seen, and dying of homesickness?"

"No," said Jack, "I think she'd worry herself sick. But if you weren't alone, Nance—if I went too—"

"You!" interrupted the girl, amazed. "Why, how do you know that Cousin Columbine would take you in?"

Jack hitched an inch or two nearer, his eyes bright with interest.

"I don't expect her to; but she might get me a job on some ranch. She's always been crazy to see the West; and with us both ways earning our own living, things would be easier for Dad and Mother."

"But you said yourself, Jack, that what Cousin Columbine wanted was a slave!"

"Oh, forget it. I was just talking. If she's a woman come in every day the work can't kill you; and if I were near enough so we'd get together every little while, it wouldn't be so bad. And we'd be helping Dad, Nance. Honestly helping. He wouldn't even have to feed us!"

The girl gave way to a reluctant smile.

"Is my appetite as fearful a thing as that? Why, you talk as if we have to apply to the Salvation Army for Christmas dinner! Dad can't be so hard up that he'll have to worry about food, Jack."

"But it costs less to support three than five, my dear. You can't get away from that. If you say the word I'll send an air mail letter to Cousin Columbine to-morrow. I'll explain what's happened, and ask if I can get a job out there. We needn't say a word to Mother until we hear from her. I'll ask her to telegraph."

Nancy looked at the boy curiously, as if she were observing a stranger. Jack was only seventeen and his sister had always regarded him "with the tolerance nineteen bestows upon a younger brother. Now, suddenly, it seemed older than he himself, for at the first hint of trouble he had put his shoulder to the wheel. It made Nancy feel a bit ashamed of herself; for she knew that it was not Jack's boyish curiosity to see the West which caused him to make this plan, but a genuine desire to help his father."

"Well?" he questioned with impatience.

The girl drew in a quivering breath.

"Do—do you think we must, Jack? I'll admit that the idea—terrifies me."

"Oh, be your age, Nance! We're not going into darkest Africa."

"I know; but it's so awfully far away. Suppose we got sick—had appendicitis or something."

"The only way you'll get appendicitis is by over-eating. We never have been sick—either of us—so far anyway; I don't say it'll be all fun by any means; but we will be learning something about the country, as the old lady said; and it's not a life sentence. We'll come home soon as Dad gets his business straightened out. Be a sport, Sis, and let me write the letter."

"Without asking Dad—or Mother?" He nodded.

"There'll be time enough to talk it over when we hear from Cousin Columbine. Like as not she'll veto the whole scheme; but even if they won't consent after we've made our plans, Nance, no harm will be done."

"Well," agreed Nancy with sudden resolution, "go on and write."

"That's the stuff!" Jack said his long legs off the bed and proceeded, as noiselessly as possible to open the windows again.

"Night, Sis. I knew you'd see sense after I showed it to you. And don't you dare let on we're up to anything. Just keep mum."

It was not so hard to "keep mum" as Nancy expected. The next few days were strenuous ones for the older members of the family, and the



amusing letter from Colorado was completely forgotten. Jack, who did not return to Exeter on Monday, spent two of those days driving his mother and Aunt Judy to Edgemore in his beloved "Mary Ann," so they could look into conditions at the old home and decide what furniture must be sent out from the city.

(To Be Continued)

## Reclamation Work

Expenditure Of Half A Million Dollars In Saskatchewan

Federal government drought area reclamation work will involve the expenditure of approximately half a million dollars in Saskatchewan this season, according to unofficial information obtained at Regina. This will involve activity in three main spheres, namely: (1) construction of dams and excavation of small dugouts and reservoirs; (2) establishment of numerous agricultural illustration stations, and (3) organization of township areas in the province.

According to draft plans, the erection of dams and excavations of reservoirs will be accomplished through bonusing farmers and ranchers in the drought areas on a yardage basis for the work they do.

## THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

—By Aline Michaelis—

## ROUGH AND LEVEL GROUND

She never showed her weariness, Nor did her courage wane; Her look was like a lifted flag, Her voice was hope's refrain.

She let no longings conquer her; She always took with pride The sweet things with the bitter things That life will not divide.

For she was wise enough to know Since Earth was first begun The kind and cruel side by side, Through being's tide has run.

The things of dread, the things of dream She took with equal grace, And some still light more deep than joy Was shining on her face.

The sweet and bitter come to all And with a faith profound She took them as a runner takes The rough and level ground.

## Theory About Dust Storms

U.S. Navy Astronomer Says Winds Are Ending Drought Period

The dust storms, we are assured by the Navy astronomer, Captain T. J. J. See, are a proof that the winds have returned that bring rain to the earth. He tells us that the drought period ended last August and that the terrific winds that have been scouring the soil from our Western plains are prophets of good times not far off. Moreover, he foretells no more drought for seven years. But, alas, the bow of promise spans vast regions damaged vast recovery—Providence Journal.

According to the latest statistics, Canadians consumed 30.92 pounds of butter; 3.64 pounds of cheese, and 6.28 pounds of concentrated milk products per head of population during 1934.

## Treatment Was Success

"Twilight Narcosis" New Cure For Mild Mental Cases

Twilight sleep for men as well as women, during mild insanity of both sexes, was reported to the American Psychiatric Association, at Washington.

Several successful cases were described, including one that might be called "stock marketitis," a man caught in the 1929 crash, who not only broke mentally but was in physical pain.

This form of sleep, which he called "twilight narcosis," was described by A. L. Skoog, M.D., of Kansas City. He gives patients a form of sodium amytal, which puts them into a condition resembling drugged sleepiness.

They can speak occasionally, but are mostly too drowsy even for that. This condition lasts for hours, during which the physician talks to them. His words are the only treatment.

The businessman who cracked up after 1929 was worried, slept poorly, was unable to work, had pain in the back and other places, shrivelling of some parts of his body, and spells of fear.

Examination showed no disease. He was put to sleep twice, 12 days apart. Both times his physician talked, telling him he could hope for full recovery, that he had no internal disorders, that he was not shrivelled and that his brain was normal.

A few weeks of rest followed and the man recovered. He became healthy and returned to business.

## First Gliding By Night

Member Of London Club Made A Perfect Landing

A member of the London Gliding Club, C. Nicholson, has done what is believed to be the first gliding by night in the United Kingdom. Hurricane lamps, placed on the highest points of the downs by members of the club, and the moon shining, too, enabled Nicholson to make the flight in safety. Clouds came over the moon after he had been in the air about 40 minutes, and he decided to land.

A flash-lamp which Nicholson carried, and the head-lamps of a motor car, were used to exchange messages between the pilot and members of the London Gliding Club on the ground. Aided by motor car lights and the hurricane lamps the glider made a perfect landing.

## National Fuel Policy

Western Canada Fuel Association To Call Conference

The new directorate of the Western Canada Fuel Association was instructed to call a conference of representatives of all coal-producing provinces to work out a unified national fuel policy for Canada.

The directorate includes: Wholesale sales section, W. B. Doyle, Saskatoon; retailers' section, E. S. Smith, Calgary; A. T. Child, Regina and R. P. Strickland, Saskatoon.

Elected to the retailers' section committees were: R. Drury, Regina, and Mr. Smith and Mr. Strickland.

## Have Four-Hour Day

Members of the Munich Bird Society of Munich, Germany, have discovered that storks flying south to escape the European winter travel only four hours a day, spending the other 20 in feeding, resting and sleeping. They average over 30 miles an hour in their flight of thousands of miles over the storm clouds.

## Food Supply Threatened

Ravages of influenza threaten the winter's food supply of Eskimos along the Bering sea, for while the whaling season is here there aren't enough able bodied men to join the hunt.



"I spoiled the lot because I didn't use KEEN'S!"

"I tried that recipe you gave me for Mustard Pickles, Mary, but it didn't turn out at all like yours."

"That's too bad, Jane. I've always had such wonderful results with Keen's Mustard!"

"Oh, I didn't use Keen's!"

"There's your trouble, Jane, right there. Keen's Mustard has the strength, flavour and 'zip' that is not found in any other."

## Little Helps For This Week

I will praise Thee O Lord with my whole heart, I will show forth all Thy marvelous works. Psalm 9:1.

Thrice blest will all our blessings be, When we can look through them to Thee; When each glad heart its tribute pays Of love, and gratitude and praise.

That which befits us, embossed in beauty and wonder as we are, is cheerfulness and courage, and the endeavor to realize our aspirations. Shall not the heart that has received so much trust the Power by which it lives? May it not quit other loadings and listen to the Soul that has guided it so gently and taught it so much, secure that the future will be worthy of the past.—R. W. Emerson.

I have experienced that the habit of taking out of the hand of the Lord every little blessing and bringing it near our path, confirms us in an especial manner in communion with His love.

## A Record Achievement

Germany's Graf Zeppelin Has Crossed Ocean Ninety Times

Graf Zeppelin, Germany's veteran air-liner, has theoretically spanned the earth 24 times, if you figure out the mileage covered by it during 423 trips in 9,817 hours in the air.

This record achievement was noted on the occasion of the resumption of the South American service of the Graf after a winter interval.

The Graf Zeppelin crossed the ocean 90 times up to this year. It carried altogether around 30,000 passengers, five million pieces of mail and more than 84,000 pounds of all sorts of freight.

"Can any of you," the teacher asked, "tell me what 'ambitious' means and give a sentence to illustrate?"

A bright little negro held up his hand. "I know, sah! It's fibbing. Mos' fish stories are fibious!"

It is a criminal offence to be seen in the company of a well-known criminal, according to an Australian law.

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## Main Street

Wednesday, June 12th, is clean-up day at the cemetery.

Dave Glascock is doing a job of tractor breaking for Carl Larson.

Messrs. Norman Nichol and Dolton Herbert left for Vancouver on Monday, June 3rd.

Dr. and Mrs. York and Sybil and Mrs. Lee of Provost were visitors in Irma last Sunday.

Mr. Thos. McLean left on the flyer June 4th for a holiday trip to his old home in Scotland.

Mr. John Schonert arrived from Calgary last week to work in the Irma hardware store.

Calvin Enkhart enjoyed a short visit from his sister, Anna, and cousin from Saskatoon, Sask.

We notice that Mr. G. A. Tripp and Mr. Chas. Glover are each driving a new Ford car this week.

Mr. L. A. Johnson and family, of Jarrow, started on a motor trip June 4th, to Montana and Dakota points.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Jackson's young son was operated on for appendicitis in the Wainwright hospital on May 30th.

The Irma branch of the Canadian Legion held a meeting on Saturday evening, June 1st, and arranged for a sports day on July 3rd.

Miss Helen Samenuk visited Irma last week and gave a number of ladies permanent waves, and expects to be here again about June 12th.

The June meeting of the Irma ladies' aid will be held next Thursday, June 13th, at the home of Mrs. Jas. Fenton. All the ladies are welcome.

The Kinsella tennis club put on an enjoyable dance in Kiefer's hall, Irma, on May 31st. The proceeds will help out the finances of the club considerably.

A number of Irma residents motored to Edmonton last Saturday to see the basketball game between the Commercial Grads and the Tulsa, Okla., team.

Anglican service will be held on Sunday, June 9th, at 3 p.m., in the United church. A short congregational meeting will be held after the service.

A dry cleaning demonstration will be given on Friday, June 14th, in Foxwell's vacant building, under the auspices of the Irma W. I. Everyone welcome.

Keep June 12th open for the "Strawberry Festival" at King's Park under the auspices of Avondale U.F.W.A. Come and enjoy a good swim, followed by ice cream and real strawberries.

A baby clinic will be held in Irma on Friday, June 21st. Babies and children up to six years of age, free health examination, weighed and measured.

The Irma United church Sunday school picnic will be held on Friday afternoon, June 28th. The place has not been decided on yet, but keep the date in mind.

There will be a social evening and farewell for Mr. and Mrs. Geeson and family on Friday, June 14th, at the Roseberry school at 8.30 sponsored by Alma Mater and Roseberry ladies' aid. Everyone is most cordially invited.

Mr. Ray Locke met with a painful accident on Friday, May 31st, when his first two fingers of his right hand were mangled in the meat grinder while he was engaged in grinding up meat for the foxes. Dr. Greenberg took him to the Wainwright hospital where it was found necessary to amputate a part of each finger.

H. E. Parke had a pleasant surprise one day last week when his brother-in-law, Stanley Carter, with two sons and two daughters, motored up to the camp he was building a mile west of town. Mr. Carter and his sons who have recently disposed of their property at Hyatt, Alta., were on their way to Vancouver, where they have business prospects.

The Irma 18-and-under baseball team motored to Vermilion on the 24th of May to take part in the annual sports held there. After some great difficulty they obtained sufficient cars to take the team. Thanks to Mr. Lukens, Mr. Carbol and Mr. Reeds, the boys reached Vermilion in time to play. The entire team wishes to extend their sincere thanks to those who so willingly helped them in a time of need. Although the boys lost at Vermilion, they hope to re-establish their prestige in the near future. Be a sport and help the boys out by attending their games.

Quite a number of Irma folk took in the celebration at Jarrow on June 3rd. The attendance was very good considering the cold day. The Irma girls softball team played against the Viking girls and trimmed them to the tune of 28-8. There were three teams entered for the men's baseball games. In the draw Irma got the bye and played against Camp Lake for first place which they won with a score of 11-9. The line-up for these teams was as follows: Camp Lake—D. Anderson, Williams, E. Anderson, J. Jewel, R. Marby, P. McNab, O. Simpson, D. Garvey, A. Landers; Irma—H. Lissom, B. Reed, H. Larson, W. Hubman, Bessy, S. Fenton, M. Knudson, F. Larson, A. Lawson, F. Maguire.

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PROV. MARKETS

## Cattle

BEEF—Trading has been fairly active at Edmonton, especially on the good and choice stuff; prices show firm tendency, particularly on fed calves and cows. Bulk of choice steers making around 6.50, with good kinds from 5.50 up; medium 4.50 to 5.50; common 3.50 to 4.50. Choice heifers 5.50 to 6.50; good 4.50 to 5.50. Choice cows from 3.50 to 4.50; good 3.50 to 4.50; medium 2.50 to 3.50; common 1.50 to 2.50; canners and culters 75¢ to 1.25. Bulk of the bulls ranging from 1.50 to 2.25 on butchers, and canners from 50¢ up. Choice calves found market easier, with bulk of sales around 85¢; common lots 2.50 to 3.50. FEEDERS—STOCKERS—Little or no change in this market, with good kinds selling 3.50 to 4.50; plainer sorts 2.50 to 3.50.

## Hogs

Edmonton hogs higher; bacon 8.50; hams 9.10, and butchers 8.10, fed and watered weights.

## Sheep

Edmonton steady on light receipts. Yearlings from \$2.50 to 3.50; ewes 1.50 to 2.50; lambs 50¢ to 6.50.

## Poultry—Eggs

POULTRY—Shipping still light, as farmers are busy on land. Few more inquiries on broilers, with price likely to be around 14¢ for 1½ lb. and over, with odd dressed birds going to retail butchers shops in neighborhood of 25¢ per lb. No. 1 fowl quoted at 7¢ on over 5 lb; No. 1, under 5 lb, 5¢; No. 2, 4¢; roosters, 4¢ to 5¢. EGGS—Prices show generally 1¢ lower for this week making grade "A" large, 12¢; "A" medium, 10¢; "B" grade, 7¢; "C" 5¢ to 6¢. Receipts showing slight improvement, although warmer weather lowering grade. Specialized producers, "A1" large, 21¢; "A1" medium, 19¢; "A1" pullets, 12¢.

## Hay—Feed Oats—Greenfeed

HAY—Movement by carload and wagonload very light. Fair demand for small lots, but rush of spring work holding back movement. Good clean-up expected. New crop showing good growth. Prices steady. Up-land, \$10; timothy, \$11 to \$12 per ton, baled and on track at shipping point. Calgary loose hay market: Timothy, baled, \$15 to \$16; upland, baled, \$13 to \$14; loose, \$12 per ton, delivered. FEED OATS—Fair trade, but supplies arriving only as wanted. Price steady at 34¢ to 35¢ a bush, delivered. GREENFEED—Fair demand, but bulk cleaned up. Price unchanged at \$12 per ton, delivered.

## SPORT PEEPS

Those who saw the basketball series between the Grads and the Tulsa girls speak of the games as the most thrilling ever seen. Percy Page puts his girls through a course of rigorous training that would fit a champion boxer. For health's sake and stamina, cigarettes and chocolates are taboo. Regular hours for sleep forces prohibition of dances, timed for the beauty-sleep period. By holding to proper diet, and exercising a long, scientific lines, these girls are perfect in feminine physique. As a result of all this training this group of girls attract an audience of 5000 at the Arena, and 100,000 or more over the radio.

With the advent of summer weather, increased activity has been noted on the Tennis court. The skill of many of the younger boys and girls is quite remarkable. Some of them are even now masters of the game against experienced players. With the construction of a second concrete court, it is expected there will be the greatest-ever interest in this game. It is to be hoped that citizens will assist the youngsters by providing a ticket for every one.

It was a great event for Canada when a horse owned by Seagram of Ontario, moved over to Detroit and won a race from Azucar, the winner of the Santa Anita handicap and its \$100,000. The time was good, being 1:46.3 for a distance of 1 1/16 miles.

The Yankees have advanced from the cellar position of the American League to the roof. For a time dubbed "The Hitless Wonders," they proved this a misnomer. They hit and they ran, and crawled up the ladder. Judging from the play of the early season, not an expert predicted this team would be by the first of June top the league.

Reports from the manager of Eddie Westob indicate that the Viking boxer is mounting the ladder of success. He has made an excellent impression in England, doing a good job in the ring and conducting himself in such a manner as to appeal to the sports. A couple of big bouts are scheduled.

## Ten Years of Church Union

The following is an editorial from "The United Church Record and Missionary Review":

1925-1935

To people outside the Church these years mark the limits of a great boom and a great depression. Surely they mean more to the Christian Church and certainly they mean most of all to The United Church of Canada.

Born in 1925, cradled in a period of materialism and tested in years of stress and strain if not despair, our Church has proved, during these ten years, her ability to do and to endure.

Out in the needy places, where mission work counts and where results show, there is heart-felt gratitude that The United Church of Canada came into being and faced up to her tasks. Only by means of a united church has it been possible to open up 1,200 preaching places where none existed before, and to re-arrange fields and merge churches in older districts where overlapping had become a scandal.

Ten years have passed and an important milestone has been reached. Having in mind all that The United Church of Canada has meant to the hard-pressed people of this country, and especially to the Church's members and adherents everywhere, we ought all to give thanks to Him who has led us along this way.

A coast-to-coast broadcast will be given on Monday, June 10th.

## WANT ADS

LOST—Two black geldings, branded: lazy F and reversed G with bar underneath, on right shoulder. One has white stripe on face, the other has white star on forehead. These horses strayed from the range around Kinsella. \$20 reward will be given for information leading to their recovery. — Fred Green, R.R. 2, Sedgewick P. O. 24-31-7p

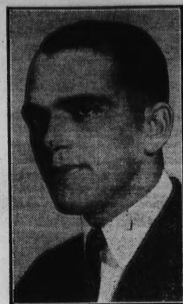
FOR SALE—Two pure bred registered Shorthorn bulls, 1 year old—B. T. Oldham, phone K116, Irma, Alberta. 7-14p

WANTED—Brush to cut by contract. Price reasonable. See or write to John Banks, Irma, Alta. 7-14p

FOR SALE—1 Van Slack brush breaker, 20 inch. All in good repair. —B. A. Clelland. 7-14p

WANTED—Driving horse for children going to school. Must be reliable and not afraid of cars and trucks. —R. L. Shotts, Irma. 31-7

P. T. M. MILNE



Liberal Candidate, Wainwright Constituency

P. T. M. Milne, Liberal candidate for the Wainwright constituency in the coming provincial election, is one of the youngest candidates in the field. He was born in Rapid City, Manitoba, June 26th, 1900, and is of hardy Scotch parentage.

He arrived with his parents at Edgerton, Alberta, in May, 1910. He attended the Wainwright high school, later the Alberta Business College and the Alberta University.

He has travelled extensively. During 1930 he motored through Europe in his own car, visiting ten different countries. He is manager of Milne Bros. Co., and operates retail lumber yards at Edgerton and Ribstone, the business having been established by his father who is now residing in Victoria, B.C. He also has extensive land holdings in Edgerton district.

He advocates a businesslike administration in provincial affairs, and representation of the constituency is his first consideration. He is a young man of pleasing personality and well qualified to represent the constituency in the provincial house. Mr. Milne opened his campaign in the south-eastern part of the constituency last week stressing monetary reform, and is considered as one of the strongest candidates in the field.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that there has been introduced in the Council of the Municipal District of Battle River, No. 423, a bylaw of which the following is a short synopsis:

By-law No. 45

1. In this By-law unless the context otherwise requires the term animal means and includes, Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Swine, Goats, Poultry, and all other animals commonly known as Domestic animals.

2. No animal the property of any person shall at any time be at large in those portions of the said Municipal District commonly known as Division 4, but more particularly only described as follows:

All section 25, N. ½, 26, E. ½, 27 (north of railway), all sections 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36 in township 45-9, W. 4th Mer., and all of township 46-9, W. 4th Mer. Sections 1 to 36 inclusive.

3. For all purposes of this By-law any animal shall be deemed to be at large which is off the premises of its owner and is not under the direct control of its owner or someone acting under his authority or is not confined within a building or fenced field.

4. The Council of the said Municipal District may, from time to time, establish pounds at such places as it may seem advisable, and may appoint such poundkeepers as it may seem advisable. All poundkeepers shall be bound by the provisions of the Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) being Statutes of Alberta (Chapter 25, 1923).

5. Any animal at large contrary to the provisions of this By-law may be impounded and dealt with in accordance with the Domestic Animals Act, Chapter 25, Statutes of Alberta, 1923.

And that a copy of the same may be seen at each of the following places:

Municipal Office M.D. Battle River, Main street, Irma, Alberta.

Irma Post Office, S.W. corner of the S.W. 2-46-9, W. 4th.

S.E. corner of S.E. 16-46-9, W. 4th, Ross School, and

S.E. corner of S.E. 35-46-9, W. 4th.

And further that unless within 30 days from the publication of this notice at least Ten (10) resident electors of the said Division 4 petition the Council to submit such By-law to the vote of the resident electors of the said Division 4 of the Municipal District the Council will proceed to pass the same.

CHAS. WILBRAHAM,  
Secretary-Treasurer,  
M. D. Battle River No. 423,  
Irma, Alberta.

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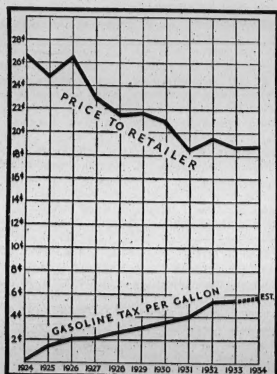
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The accompanying chart shows how the price of gasoline to the retailer has decreased and the gasoline tax has increased since 1924. The data for this graph are based on figures published by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

## LOWER PRICES—HIGHER QUALITY

EVER since 1920 the price of gasoline has steadily declined. Few people realize this however because during the past ten years as the price dropped the tax increased. In 1923 there was no provincial gasoline tax and the average price of gasoline to retail dealers across Canada was 27½¢ per gallon. Today the average price of gasoline to retailers is 18½¢ cents but to this is added a tax of from six to eight cents per gallon which goes directly to the provincial governments. Not only has the price of gasoline fallen steadily since 1920 but the quality has

consistently improved. The gasoline consumer today gets more value than ever before.

Sometimes you hear talk of large profits earned by the gasoline refiner. In 1934 Imperial Oil earned \$3,023,400.12. This may seem to be a large sum but to earn it Imperial Oil had to make and market gasoline and other products amounting in value to \$82,841,311.15. That is to say Imperial Oil's earnings were relatively no greater than those of a merchant who, selling \$8,280 worth of goods in the course of a year, made a net profit of \$300.



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